

**Cut Across Shorty**  
**Rod Stewart**

Rod Stewart - Cut Across Shorty MTV Unplugged(1993)  
Original: by Eddie Cochran (1959)  
Chords by JDoubleOP

Intro:

**Cadd9**    **G/B**    **G/B(2x hammer on C)** **Dsus2**            4x

#1.

**D**

Now a country boy named Shorty

And a city boy named Dan,

had to prove who could run the fastest

**E**                            **A**

to win miss Lucy s hand.

**D**

**G**

Now Dan had all the money and he also

had the looks.

**D**

But Shorty must have had something boys,

**A**

**D**

that can t be found in books.

CHORUS:

**G**

Cut across Shorty, Shorty, cut across.

That s what miss Lucy said.

**D**

Cut across Shorty, Shorty, cut across..

**A**

**D**

it s you that I wanna wed.

**Cadd9**    **G/B**    **G/B(2x hammer on C)** **Dsus2**            1x

#2.

**D**

Now, Dan had been in training

About a week before the race

**E**

He made up his mind ol Shorty, would end

**A**

in second place.

**D**

And Dan with his long legs a-flyin he left

**G**

Shorty far behind.

**D**

And Shorty heard him holler out..

**A**

**D**

Miss Lucy, you ll soon be mine!

CHORUS:

**G**

Well, Cut across Shorty, Shorty, cut across

That s what miss Lucy said.

**D**

Cut across Shorty, Shorty, cut across..

**A**

**D**

it s you that I wanna wed.

Solo:

**Cadd9 G/B G/B(2x hammer on C) Dsus2 4x**

#3.

**D**

But Shorty wasn t worried,

there was a smile upon his face.

**E**

**A**

cause old Lucy had fixed the race.

**D**

**G**

And just like that old story, about the turtle

and the hare.

**D**

When Dan crossed over the finish line,

**A**

**D**

he found Shorty waiting there.

CHORUS 2x:

**G**

Cut across Shorty, Shorty, cut across.

That s what miss Lucy said.

**D**

Cut across Shorty, Shorty, cut across..

**A**

**D**

it s you that I wanna wed...

OUTRO:

**Cadd9 G/B G/B(2x hammer on C) Dsus2**

O yeah, It s you I wanna wed.

**Cadd9**    **G/B**    **G/B**(2x hammer on **C**)    **Dsus2** (3x)

Have fun with this great song.

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